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Capital Medical Center Announces the Addition of Capital Oncology to Olympia's Westside

Capital Medical Center announces the opening of Capital Oncology, a full-service oncology and hematology clinic specializing in the treatment of cancer and blood disorders. Capital Oncology is a private medical group formed by six doctors formerly with Western Washington Oncology in Lacey. The addition of Capital Oncology to the Capital Medical Center Campus will compliment the opening of the hospital's Radiation Therapy Center in early 2008. Together, they will form the nucleus of a premier, major cancer center in the greater Southwest Washington area. Capital Medical Center welcomes Doctors' Osborn, Kang, Grous, Ye, Goldberg, and Xuan.

Capital Oncology offers diagnostic treatments including on-site chemotherapy, imaging, and laboratory services to all patients in Thurston, Lewis, Mason, Pacific, and Grays Harbor Counties with offices in both Olympia and Chehalis. Dr. Osborn, Capital Oncology's Medical Director, stated, "Our new center will explore the use of chemotherapy drugs that target specific types of tumors because targeted chemotherapy avoids healthy cells and is seen as less toxic. We also plan to be involved in clinical trials of new anti-cancer drugs. Most importantly, we will continue to provide prompt, compassionate, and personalized care." Capital Oncology will begin seeing patients on May 7, 2007 and can be reached at (360) 753-4700.

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